REMARKS

Claims 1-4 were pending in the patent application, Claims 5-28 having been withdrawn from consideration. In the Office Action, the Examiner rejected Claims 1-4 under 35 USC 112 and under 35 USC 101. The Examiner has further provided suggested amendments to address the rejections. Applicants herein amend Claim 1 in accordance with the Examiner's suggestions. Applicants thank the Examiner for helping to advance the prosecution of the claims.

Applicants believe that the amendments to Claim 1 address all of the Examiner's concerns and place all of the remaining claims, Claims 1-4, in condition for allowance. Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendments, reconsideration and withdrawal of the objections and 112 rejections, and issuance of the claims.

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